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Practitioner's Docket No. 1242/14PCT/US

CHAPTER II

IN THE UNITED STATES ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US)

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International Application Number	International Filing Date	International Earliest Priority Date

TITLE OF INVENTION: PURIFIED AND ISOLATED SERINE-THREONINE KINASE RECEPTORS ASSOCIATED PROTEIN AND USE OF SAME IN THE MODULATION OF THE BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY OF TGF-B

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
ATTENTION: EO/US

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS
FOR INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION ENTERING U.S. NATIONAL STAGE
IN U.S. ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US) UNDER 35 U.S.C. section 371

This replies to the Notice of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. section 371 and 37 C.F.R. section 1.495 (Form PCT/DO/EO/905).

A copy of Form PCT/DO/EO/905 accompanies this response.

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A copy of Form PCT/DO/EO/920 also accompanies this response, along with a Statement that the contents of the paper and computer readable form of the sequence listing are the same.

DECLARATION OR OATH

- I.** The original oath was objected to. A new original oath is attached.

FEEs

II.

1. Fees for claims

Each independent claim in excess of 3 (37 C.F.R. section 1.492(b))	\$0.00
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Each claim in excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. section 1.492(c))	\$0.00
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2. Surcharge fees

Surcharge set forth in 37 C.F.R. section 1.492(e) for accepting the declaration later than 30 months after the priority date in filing an application in the U.S. as a designated office.	\$65.00
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| 3. Assignment recordation fee | \$40.00 |
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Total Fees	\$105.00
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SMALL ENTITY STATUS

- III.** Small Entity Status has been previously asserted and remains applicable.

EXTENSION OF TIME

- IV.** The proceedings herein are for a patent application. Accordingly, the provisions of 37 C.F.R. section 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

- V.** The total fee due is:

Completion fee(s)	\$65.00
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Recordation fee(s) \$40.00

TOTAL FEE DUE \$105.00

PAYMENT OF FEES

VI. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$105.00.

A duplicate of this request is attached.

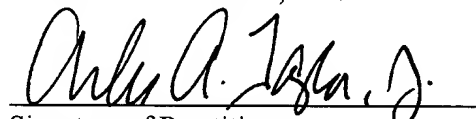
AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES

VII. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees that may be required by this paper to Account No. 50-0426.

- * 37 C.F.R. section 1.492(a)(1), 1.492(a)(4) (filing fees)
- * 37 C.F.R. section 1.492(b), (c), and (d) (presentation of extra claims)
- * 37 C.F.R. section 1.17 (application processing fees)
- * 37 C.F.R. section 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to section 1.136(a))

Respectfully submitted,

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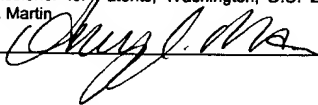
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PCT BRANCH

In re Application of: Datta et al.

Application Serial No.: **09/856,836**

Filed: May 25, 2001
(Priority Date - 10 December 1998)

Attorney Docket No.: 1242/14 PCT/US

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STATEMENT REGARDING IDENTITY OF
COPIES OF SEQUENCE LISTING

Commissioner for Patents
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ATTN.: EO/US

Dear Sir:

A sequence listing was submitted in conjunction with the filing of the subject National Phase Application for the purposes of international search under Rule 13ter only. A computer readable format (CRF) as well as a paper copy of the sequence listing was included for convenience. The undersigned attorney hereby states that the CRF and the paper copy of the sequence listing are identical.

Please call the undersigned attorney directly if there are any other questions regarding the subject application.

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Although it is believed that no fee is due in this matter, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in payment associated with the filing of this correspondence to Deposit Account No. 50-0426.

Respectfully submitted,

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